

The American Legion

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Subject: **Official Dress Code for State Level American Legion Events**

Until further notice and this document is subsequently updated, the official dress for State level American Legion events is as follows. Definitions appear at the bottom.
(We are following National's Official Dress Code for Events.)

Please distribute this as widely as possible.
This will be Posted on www.NYLegion.net.

Meetings:

Committee Meetings & audience:	Business Casual & Business Dress
Committee Meetings, dais :	Business Dress
Convention Audience:	Business Casual
Convention – Stage Appearance	Business Dress

Meals:

Commander's Banquet (Convention)	Business Dress
National Commanders Dinner (April)	Business Dress (dais – Formal)
For all other official meal events	Business Casual (dais – Business Dress)

Definitions:

Business Dress:	Shirt, tie, & jacket for men & appropriate parallel dress for women
Business Casual:	Trousers & Collared polo shirt – preferably Legion polo for men & appropriate parallel dress for women
Formal:	Black Tie
